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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Kiyohito MUKAI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 3812
Application No.: 10/663,642 : Group Art Unit: 2812
Filed: September 17, 2003 : Examiner: Walter Lee Lindsay, Jr.

For: METHOD OF FABRICATING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND A METHOD OF
GENERATING A MASK PATTERN

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated November 15, 2005, now due to expire February 15, 2006, be extended for one (1) month and set to expire on March 15, 2006.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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